JASON M. FRIERSON 1 **United States Attorney** District of Nevada Nevada Bar No. 7709 LINDSAY A. AGER Assistant United States Attorney Nevada Bar No. 11985 501 Las Vegas Blvd. So., Suite 1100 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101 (702) 388-6336 Lindsay.Ager@usdoj.gov 6 7 Attorneys for the United States 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 DISTRICT OF NEVADA Bernstein & Poisson, a Nevada Corporation, 10 Case No. 2:24-cv-01177-APG-EJY 11 Plaintiff, v. 12 Cynthia Standmore, an individual; JSF Stipulation to Extend United States' Incorporated DBA Chiropractic Physicians of 13 **Answering Deadline** Las Vegas; Cameron Medical, Inc.; Coppel Medical Enterprise LLC DBA Nevada (First Request) Comprehensive Pain Centers; United States Department of the Treasury; State of Nevada. Department of Health Human Services; Golden Pear Funding II, LLC, a New York Limited Liability Company; Preferred Capital Funding – Nevada, LLC; DOES 1 through 17 100; ROE Corporations 101 through 200, 18 Defendants. 19 This is an interpleader case that the United States removed from Nevada state court 20 on June 27, 2024. Following the United States' removal, counsel for plaintiff Bernstein & 21 Poisson and counsel for the United States held a telephonic meet-and-confer conference 22 regarding various issues in this case. High Stakes Injury Law (formerly Bernstein & Poisson) 23 is in the process of communicating with several defendants regarding the amounts of their 24 liens. Counsel for the United States identified the appropriate point of contact at the United 25 States Department of Health and Human Services and its delegate agency, the Centers for 26 Medicare and Medicaid Services, and is in the process of gathering the facts necessary to 27

answer or otherwise respond to the complaint.

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1 Under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 81(c)(2)(C), the United States' current 2 deadline to answer or otherwise respond to the complaint is July 4, 2024, which is 3 Independence Day. Because Independence Day is a legal holiday as defined by Rule 6(a)(6)(A), under Rule 6(a)(1)(C), the deadline runs until July 5, 2024, which is the next day 4 5 that is not a legal holiday. The parties stipulate that the United States' deadline to answer or otherwise respond 6 7 to plaintiff's complaint will be extended by one month, or from July 5, 2024, to August 5, 8 2024. The purpose of the stipulation is to allow the United States adequate time to 9 investigate the facts before answering or otherwise responding to the complaint. Also, the 10 additional time will allow the parties an opportunity to continue their meet-and-confer efforts regarding the various' parties' interests in this case, which should streamline the 11 12 litigation. This is the first stipulation to extend time for the United States to answer or 13 otherwise respond to the complaint. IT IS SO STIPULATED. 14 15 Dated: July 2, 2024 Dated: July 2, 2024 16 AMBER N. KING JASON M. FRIERSON High Stakes Injury Law 17 United States Attorney 18 /s/ Amber N. King s/Lindsav Ager 19 Attorney for Plaintiff Assistant United States Attorney 20 21 22 IT IS SO ORDERED. 23 24 25 26 Dated: July 2, 2024 27 28